## Subcommittee on Payment Policies for Contract Court Interpreters MEETING

Administrative Office of the Courts Malcolm M. Lucas Board Room 455 Golden Gate Avenue, 3rd Floor San Francisco, CA 94102-3688

> November 7, 2006 (Tuesday) 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Open to the Public

In February 2000, the Judicial Council adopted payment policies for contract court interpreters. To provide a forum for contract court interpreters to present information and proposals on the payment policies, the Court Executives Advisory Committee (CEAC) has established a Subcommittee on Payment Policies for Contract Court Interpreters and charged the Subcommittee to do the following:

- Convene a public meeting at least once a year to provide an opportunity for contract court interpreters and other interested parties to present information and proposals on trial court payment policies for contract court interpreters;
- 2. Ask questions and gather additional information as needed, but not engage in negotiations;
- 3. Take the matters presented under submission;
- 4. Ensure that its actions and recommendations are consistent with public policy set forth in Senate Bill 371 (Escutia); and
- 5. Present information and recommendations to the CEAC, which will make recommendations to the Trial Court Budget Working Group and other Judicial Council bodies, as well as the Judicial Council, as deemed appropriate.

Contract court interpreters and others interested in making a presentation that is pertinent to the Subcommittee's charge must submit a written request by <u>Tuesday, October 31, 2006</u>. Please note that the amount of time that will be allotted for the presentations is expected to range from 5 to 15 minutes depending on how many individuals request to speak. All requests should clearly state the presenter's name, title/occupation, contact information, a brief description of his/her presentation, and send to:

Attention: Court Programs Services 455 Golden Gate Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102-3688

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Additionally, both those who appear in-person and those who are unable to appear in-person must provide at least 10 copies of their presentation and any other pertinent information that they would like the subcommittee to consider, at or by the November 7, 2006 meeting.